

3.1 and 3.2 Derivatives!

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3.1/20 After t hours something is
 $s(t) = 3t^2 + t$ mi away from the start,

a) avg velocity on $[1, 3]$ $= \frac{s(3) - s(1)}{3 - 1}$

$$= \frac{[3(3)^2 + 3] - [3(1)^2 + 1]}{2} = \frac{26}{2} = 13 \text{ mph}$$

b) inst velocity at $t=1$ $= \lim_{t \rightarrow 1} \frac{s(t) - s(1)}{t - 1}$

$$= \lim_{t \rightarrow 1} \frac{[3t^2 + t] - 4}{t - 1} = \lim_{t \rightarrow 1} \frac{(t-1)(3t+4)}{(t-1)}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} \textcircled{3t+4} \\ t-1 \overline{) 3t^2 + t - 4} \\ \underline{-(3t - 3t)} \\ 4t - 4 \end{array}$$

$$= \lim_{t \rightarrow 1} 3t + 4 = 7 \text{ mph}$$

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3.1/19 height $s(t) = 5t^3$ $t \in [0, 40]$

$$a) s(40) = 5(40)^3 = 5(10)^3(4)^3 = 320,000 \text{ ft}$$

$$b) \text{ avg } v_{[0, 40]} = \frac{s(40) - s(0)}{40 - 0} = \frac{320,000 - 0}{40} = 8000 \text{ fps}$$

c) avg. vel during first 135 ft.

$$135 = 5t^3$$

$$27 = t^3 \Rightarrow t = 3$$

$$\begin{aligned} 27 &= t^3 \\ \sqrt[3]{27} &= t \\ 3 &= t \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{avg } v_{[0, 3]} = \frac{135 - 0}{3 - 0} = 45 \text{ fps}$$

d) inst vel at $t = 40$

$$= \lim_{t \rightarrow 40} \frac{s(t) - s(40)}{t - 40} = \lim_{t \rightarrow 40} \frac{5t^3 - 5(40)^3}{t - 40}$$

$$= \lim_{t \rightarrow 40} 5 \left(\frac{t^3 - 40^3}{t - 40} \right)$$

$$= \lim_{t \rightarrow 40} 5 \left(\frac{t - 40}{t - 40} (t^2 + 40t + 40^2) \right)$$

$$= 5(40^2 + 40^2 + 40^2) = 15(40^2) \text{ fps}$$

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$$\lim_{x \rightarrow x_0} \frac{f(x) - f(x_0)}{x - x_0} = \lim_{x \rightarrow x_0} \frac{\frac{1}{\sqrt{x}} - \frac{1}{\sqrt{x_0}}}{x - x_0}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow x_0} \frac{\frac{\sqrt{x_0} - \sqrt{x}}{\sqrt{x} \sqrt{x_0}}}{(x - x_0)} = \lim_{x \rightarrow x_0} \frac{\sqrt{x_0} - \sqrt{x}}{\sqrt{x} \sqrt{x_0} (\sqrt{x} - \sqrt{x_0}) (\sqrt{x} + \sqrt{x_0})}$$

(Note: In the original image, the fraction $\frac{a}{b} \cdot \frac{c}{d} = \frac{ac}{bd}$ is circled in red on the left. The term $\sqrt{x_0} - \sqrt{x}$ is circled in red with a red arrow pointing to the denominator, labeled "factor". The term $\sqrt{x} - \sqrt{x_0}$ is circled in red in the denominator.)

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow x_0} \frac{-1}{\sqrt{x} \sqrt{x_0} (\sqrt{x} + \sqrt{x_0})}$$

$$= \frac{-1}{\sqrt{x_0} \sqrt{x_0} (\sqrt{x_0} + \sqrt{x_0})} = \frac{-1}{2(\sqrt{x_0})^3}$$

(Note: In the original image, the terms $\sqrt{x_0}$ and $\sqrt{x_0}$ in the denominator are labeled with "1" below them, and $(\sqrt{x_0} + \sqrt{x_0})$ is labeled with $(2\sqrt{x_0})$ below it.)

$$\frac{-1}{2(\sqrt{x_0})^2 \sqrt{x_0}} = \frac{-1}{2x_0 \sqrt{x_0}}$$

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$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow x_0} \frac{\frac{\sqrt{x_0} - \sqrt{x}}{\sqrt{x} \sqrt{x_0}}}{(x - x_0)} = \lim_{x \rightarrow x_0} \left(\frac{\sqrt{x_0} - \sqrt{x}}{\sqrt{x} \sqrt{x_0} (x - x_0)} \right) \left(\frac{\sqrt{x_0} + \sqrt{x}}{\sqrt{x_0} + \sqrt{x}} \right)$$

$$\frac{\frac{a}{b} \left(\frac{1}{c} \right) \frac{a}{bc}}{\left(\frac{1}{c} \right)}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow x_0} \frac{(x_0 - x)}{\sqrt{x} \sqrt{x_0} (\sqrt{x_0} + \sqrt{x}) (x - x_0)}$$

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$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow x_0} \frac{\left[\frac{1}{x} - \frac{1}{x_0} \right]}{(x - x_0) \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{x}} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{x_0}} \right)} = \lim_{x \rightarrow x_0} \frac{\frac{x_0 - x}{xx_0}}{(x - x_0) \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{x}} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{x_0}} \right)}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow x_0} \frac{\cancel{x_0 - x}^{-1}}{xx_0 \cancel{(x - x_0)} \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{x}} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{x_0}} \right)}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow x_0} \frac{-1}{xx_0 \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{x}} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{x_0}} \right)}$$

$$\frac{1}{\frac{1}{x} + \frac{1}{y}} \stackrel{?}{=} x + y$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow x_0} \frac{-1}{xx_0 \left(\frac{\sqrt{x_0} + \sqrt{x}}{\sqrt{x}\sqrt{x_0}} \right)}$$

$$\frac{1}{\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2}} = 2 \neq 2$$

$\frac{1}{\frac{a}{b}} = \frac{b}{a}$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow x_0} \frac{-\left(\frac{\sqrt{x}\sqrt{x_0}}{\sqrt{x_0} + \sqrt{x}} \right)}{xx_0} = \lim_{x \rightarrow x_0} \frac{-\sqrt{x}\sqrt{x_0}}{xx_0(\sqrt{x_0} + \sqrt{x})}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow x_0} \frac{-1}{\sqrt{x}\sqrt{x_0}(\sqrt{x_0} + \sqrt{x})}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\sqrt{x}}{x} &= \frac{x^{1/2}}{x^1} \\ &= x^{1/2-1} = x^{-1/2} = \frac{1}{x^{1/2}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{x}} \end{aligned}$$

$$\frac{1}{2} \div \frac{2}{3} = \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{3}{2} = \frac{3}{4}$$

$$\frac{3}{6} \div \frac{4}{6} = \frac{\frac{3}{4}}{\frac{6}{6}} = \frac{\frac{3}{4}}{1} = \boxed{\frac{3}{4}}$$

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3.1/12) $f(x) = x^2 + 3x + 2; x_0 = 2$

a) $\lim_{x \rightarrow a} \frac{x^2 + 3x + 2 - (a^2 + 3a + 2)}{x - a}$

$= \lim_{x \rightarrow a} \frac{(x^2 - a^2) + 3(x - a)}{x - a} = \lim_{x \rightarrow a} \left[\underbrace{\frac{x^2 - a^2}{x - a}}_{(x-a)(x+a)} + 3 \left(\frac{x - a}{x - a} \right) \right]$

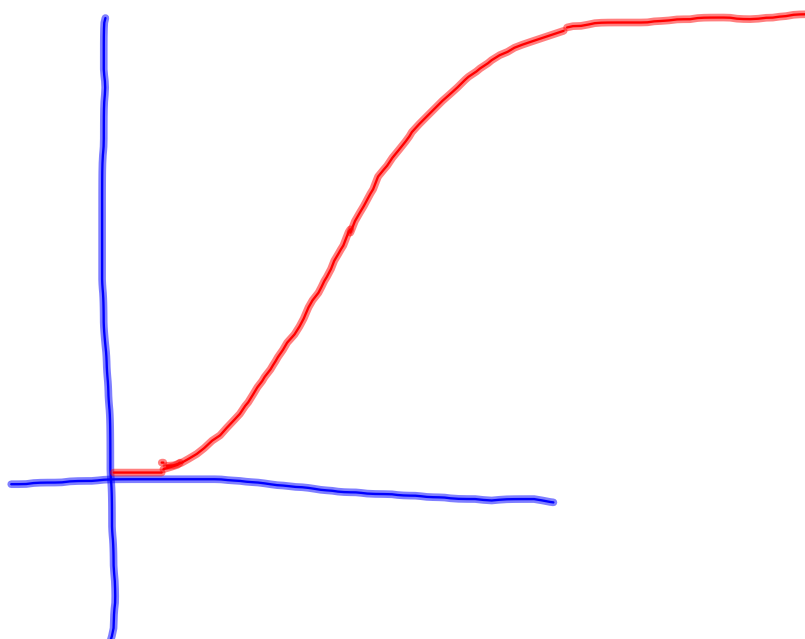
$= \lim_{x \rightarrow a} \frac{(x - a)((x + a) + 3)}{(x - a)}$

$= \lim_{x \rightarrow a} [(x + a) + 3] = 2a + 3$

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3.2 A function that tells me the instantaneous rate of change at any point [where it makes sense] is called the derivative.

If the limit $\lim_{x \rightarrow a} \frac{f(x) - f(a)}{x - a} = L$ exists [i.e. $\neq \#$]

then that limit is called the derivative of $f(x)$ at $x=a$ and we write:

$$f'(a) = \lim_{x \rightarrow a} \frac{f(x) - f(a)}{x - a} = L$$

limit No exists \Rightarrow No derivative